

## Message Text

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TO AMEMBASSY KUWAIT IMMEDIATE

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USCINCEUR VAIHINGEN GERMANY IMMEDIATE

S E C R E T STATE 139350

E.O. 11652:GDS

TAGS: MASS, KU, US

SUBJECT: FMS KUWAIT - F-8H LEASE - PURCHASE PLAN

REFERENCES: A. KUWAIT 2477; B. STATE 124326

AS PREVIOUSLY STATED IN REFTEL B., THOROUGH DOD REVIEW OF  
LEASE COSTS SET LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICE OF DOLS 272 THOUSAND  
PER AIRCRAFT. TO REDUCE LEASE COSTS BELOW THIS MINIMUM  
WOULD BE DETRIMENTAL TO USN PROGRAM TO REHAB REPLACEMENT  
AIRCRAFT FOR RESERVE FLEET. RUSH

NOTE BY OC/T: DISTRIBUTION PER S/S-O. MR. SARROS.

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## Message Attributes

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